

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

Preparation of State Strategic Statistical Plan (SSSP) - Constitution of a High Level Steering Committee for the project – Orders – Issued

PLANNING (XVIII) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No: 3

Dated: 15-02-2010

Read the following:

1. D.O. Letter No.1-20147/2-2/2007-SSD-II, Dated: 11th April, 2008 from the Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation, New Delhi.
2. Letter of participation (LOP) No:2941/Plg.XVIII/2008, Dated: 26-04-2008 from the Special Chief Secretary to Government, Planning Dept. Andhra Pradesh addressed to the Secretary to Govt. of India, Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation, New Delhi
3. Letter No.5658/SSSP/2009, Dated: 5th November, 2009 from the Director, Directorate of Economics and Statistics, Hyderabad.

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In the reference 1st read above the Secretary, Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation, Government of India has informed that the Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation (MOSPI), Government of India, is proposing to launch the India Statistical Strengthening Project(ISSP) with the assistance of the world Bank from this financial year. This project is a Centrally sponsored Scheme whereby the Government of India shall be giving grants to State Governments for carrying out the necessary reforms to strengthen of the State statistical system, which would include not only the Directorate of Economics and Statistics but also the line departments which are involved in statistical data collection. The project has been conceived in a manner in which the States are being given full freedom to design and implement their own strategic plans for strengthening the state statistical system, keeping in mind the requirement of providing consistent and comparable statistics.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, the Government of Andhra Pradesh has agreed to participate in the India Statistical Strengthening Project (ISSP) and communicated the willingness. In the letter of participation the State Government had agreed to subscribe to the national vision and strategic policy framework as set out in the National Strategic Statistical Plan (NSSP) of Government of India, to formulate a State Strategic Statistical Plan (SSSP) and implement the same under the India Statistical Strengthening project and to constitute a High Level Steering Committee for the project under the Chairmanship of the Chief Secretary to Government.

3. In the reference 3rd read above, the Director, Directorate of Economics and Statistics, Hyderabad has sent necessary proposals to constitute a High Level Steering Committee to oversee the preparations and implementation of the State Strategic Statistical Plan (SSSP) and to issue necessary directions to all the participating departments/agencies of the State Government concerned.

4. Government after careful examination of the matter hereby constitute a High Level Steering Committee to oversee the implementation of the State Strategic Statistical Plan (SSSP) with the following members.

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1. Chief Secretary to Government	Chairman
2. Chief Commissioner of Land Administration	Member
3. Special Chief Secretary to Government Plg. Dept.	Member/Secretary
4. Special Chief Secretary to Government Agriculture Department	Member
5. Special Chief Secretary to Government EFS&T Dept	Member
6. Principal Secretary to Govt. School Education Dept.	Member
7. Principal Secretary to Government, Health Dept.	Member
8. Principal Secretary to Government, Panchayat Raj Dept	Member
9. Principal Secretary to Government, Municipal Admn. Urban Development Dept.	Member
10. Principal Secretary to Government, Social Welfare Dept.	Member
11. Principal Secretary to Government, Rural Development	Member
12. Director, Directorate of Economics and Statistics.	Member/Convener

5. In addition to the above members, based on the need and requirement, other Secretaries/ Head of Departments/Academicians can be invited as special invitees to contribute their valuable inputs.

6. Functions of the High Level Steering Committee are as follows:-

- (i) To oversee the preparation and implementation of SSSP**
- (ii) To identify the procedural gaps in the existing statistical system of Departments concerned and suggest remedial measures.**
- (iii) To issue necessary directions to all the participating Departments/ Agencies of the State Government in the implementation of SSSP**

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**T. CHATTARJEE,
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

All the Members of the High Level Steering Committee.

Copy to :-

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All the Spl. Chief Secretaries/Prl. Secretaries/Secretaries to Government

The Prl. Secretaries/Secretaries to Govt. C.M.O.

All the P.S. to Ministers concerned

All the Heads of Departments

All the District Collectors

All the Superintendents of Police

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